



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

: Attorney Docket No. 2006\_0420A

Haruhiko KOTO et al.

Serial No. 10/573,046

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LINE DOT RECORDER

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED  
TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE  
FEES FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT  
ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975